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G.O. No. 991 P. H.,

DATED 29. 4. 35.

[Despatch Abstract.]

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Buildings- Government Hospital, Kollegal- construction of a labour ward -offer of one Mr.G.M.Madappa.

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Ref.No.980 General/34.

Station Madras, *Dated the* 6th April 1935.

From (Name) Major-General Sir F.P.Connor,Kt.,D.S.O,K.H.S., I.M.S.,

(Designation) Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Madras.

To The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Local Self-Government,
Public Health Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward for the acceptance of Government a petition from one Mr.G. .Madappa, Silk Merchant, Mudigundam, Kollegal, with the remarks of the Collector of Coimbatore thereon offering Rs.10,000/- for the construction of a labour ward in the Govt. Hospital, Kollegal.

2. There is a proposal for the construction of a Female Block with a labour ward of four beds, general ward of 6 beds, consulting room, examination room and dressing room in the above hospital and plans and estimate for the work are now under preparation. It is unlikely that this scheme will

will be carried out in the near future as many important alterations and additions to hospitals are required in the District and financial recources may not meet all demands. Hence I recommend that the offer of Rs.10,000/- be accepted and a labour ward of 10 beds and theatre as desired by the donor be constructed now and in such manner that the consulting room, examination and dressing rooms can be added later on when funds permit.

3. The donor whom the District Medical Officer interviewed during the inspection of the Government Hospital,Kollegal, is anxious to hasten acceptance of his gift so that he may lay the foundation stone on the Silver Jubilee Day and so name it the "Madappa Jubilee Maternity Block" of the Govt. Hospital,Kollegal."

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Major-General,I.M.S.
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of
Madras.

C.S.C.14/3.

Copy of petition dated 10th October 1934, from Mr.G.M. Madappa, Silk merchant, Mudigundam, Kollegal., to the Collector of Coimbatore.

The application of G.M.Madappa, silk merchant,Mudigundam, Kollegal.

1. Your petitioner begs to bring to your notice that there is at present no maternity hospital in the whole of Kollegal Taluk, nor even a separate maternity ward either in the Govt. Hospital at Kollegal or in any of the dispensaries of this Taluk, and consequently very great difficulties are experienced by the pregnant women of this Taluk in labour cases. Those that can afford to spend, go to Mysore or Bangalore but the difficulties of the poor are unthinkable, since they cannot go to those places for delivery.

2. It is therefore highly desirable that the benign Government should come to the rescue of these helpless people by maintaining a maternity hospital here. The site necessary for the hospital is available at Mudigundam, a suitable of Kollegal. The public desire to have an hospital with at least 10 beds. Your petitioner is prepared to construct the buildings necessary for the hospital at Mudigundam at his own cost not exceeding ten thousand rupees and give them to the Government free. He therefore prays that the

be pleased to maintain the maternity hospital by equipping it with the necessary staff etc.

The petitioner begs to submit that he is prepared to construct the necessary buildings according to the design given by the Government for the same and the hospital may be opened in commemoration of the Jubilee of His Majesty The King Emperor in 1935.

Forwarded to the District Medical Officer, Coimbatore, for favour of necessary further action. The question of the acceptance of this offer of course depends on whether the Government will be in a position to maintain the institution. I suggest that the District Medical Officer sees the two alternative sites when he visits Kollegal.

Sd/- 10.10.34.

Collector.

Mr.Madappa says if the building is called a hospital he will build at Kollegal if that is thought better. Being a prominent resident of Madigundam he would prefer to build the hospital in his own place, but in his discussion with me he has ended by saying that if the Government prefer to have the building in the existing hospital compound he agrees.

(Initialled)

Collector.

P.S.G. (Con.) Dept.

Medical institutions - Divisional centres - Kollegal.
Construction of a labour ward - Offer of Rs. 9,000
Madappa.

C. No. 15275 From the S.G. No. 980. General 3 & 6 & 35

Mr. K. Rg. Gopal Madappa Asst. has offered ~~Rs. 10,000~~ to construct at his own cost not exceeding Rs. 10,000, a maternity hospital of 10 beds in the compound of the Govt. Hospital, Kollegal and hand it over to the Govt. free. The S.G. reports that there is a proposal for the construction of a female block for the hospital with a labour ward (4 beds), General ward (6 beds), consulting, examination and dressing rooms and that plan & estimate for them are under preparation. As the scheme is not likely to be carried out in the near future, the S.G. recommends that Mr. Madappa's offer may be accepted and that a labour ward of 10 beds and theatre be constructed now in such a manner that the other improvements can be added later when funds permit.

2. The S.G. has not reported what will be the cost of constructing the labour

labour ward and theatre. Nor has he furnished information about the ultimate recurring and non-recurring liabilities to Govt. on account of the proposed labour ward. Until information on these points are recd. and considered by Govt. they need not commit themselves to the scheme. The offer may be accepted subject to the condition that it places no obligation on the Govt. to maintain it for ever. The donor may be asked to ~~deposit~~ remit the amount offered by him at once, to the credit of the Govt.

A draft order is submitted for approval. It may be sent to Pwrs. & Fin. Dn. for acceptance.

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(1) If Govt does not Continue Finn. themselves to the scheme, then we take the money before and then refund it if you do not want the scheme

(2) The Govt is anxious that the

forward the Press
to the Press publicity Cell
Can this be done?
When plans & estimates
are ready & Cabinet
has approved

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PM

Para (1) of J.S.'s note on p. 2 ante.

In the case of the Headquarters Hospital, Kurnool, one Medam Venkayya Chettiyar agreed to meet the cost of an X-ray apparatus but after orders had issued approving the proposal, he insisted upon the an undertaking from Govt. that they would maintain the installation at all times. As Govt. declined to accept this condition, Mr. Chettiyar declined to pay the promised amount and the entire proposal had to be dropped. In view of this, the practice of the promised donation has been insisted on in another case and a similar procedure

vide note for F.S. at (M) - Govt. are prima facie in a title in Fiji.

has been adopted in this case also.

Para (2) of Jt's note on p. 3 ante.

The foundation stone will be laid by the donor at his cost and at his risk and no plans and estimates are necessary for laying the foundation stone.

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Q. 21/4

Thomas

FINANCE SECRETARY 24 APR 1935 GOVT. OF MADRAS

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P. W.

Thomas

I do not think this Dept need object. The foundation stone will presumably be laid on some sort of a foundation in a suitable place and would be moved & replaced when the foundations proper are laid at the actual site. On this understanding & of the donor pays the cost I see no objection

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SGW 15275-2 D2 Pt 23-4-35

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. 24 APR 1935 PUBLIC WORKS AND LABOUR DEPT.

Thomas 1°/35-1 24.4.35

Rec'd 4.30 PM

The proposals as embodied in the draft order do not commit the Govt. to any expenditure on account of the maternity ward, until the scheme has been received from the Agent. in a complete form with full details of cost and has been considered by the Govt. (presumably in accordance with the usual procedure for schemes of new expenditure such as reference to the Fin. Committee etc.) The draft order only provides for the retrocession of the donation proposed to be accepted, if the scheme is not eventually sanctioned by the Govt. Thus the proposals do not commit the Govt. to any liability. (The expenses relating to the laying of the foundation stone will be met by the donor)

The draft order may be accepted

Para 2 on pages 2-3 of the draft. Sec

(For a precedent, see Cir 1708 P. & D 14.7.30)

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L.S.G. (P.H.)

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JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
25 APR 1935
ROYAL ARCHIVES

25/4

Any pencil addition made by the Finance may be accepted. The draft order may issue.

(after Com.)

16-5-35

(Issued as Rp. No. 991 MH
& 29-4-35)

Read for C.

JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17 MAY 1935
LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPT.

L.S.G. (Pol) Dept.

C.F. 16.

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When signed ..		
When despatched.		

SUBJECT :—

READ AGAIN _____, dated _____ 19____.

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READ *ALSO* :—

No. 15275/35 From the S.G. M. No. 980 General/35, dated 6.4. 1935.

,, _____ ,, _____ ,, _____ ,, _____ 19____.

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~~Order~~ / ~~Resolution~~ — ~~Ms.~~ / ~~Rout.~~ No. 991 Pt, dated 29/4/ 1935.

The S.G. is requested to convey to Dr. R.Ry. Lgt. Madappa Avargal, the Government's appreciation of his offer to construct at his own cost not exceeding Rs. 10,000, a labour ward of 10 beds in the Government Hospital at Kollegal. The Government will be prepared to accept the offer subject to the following conditions:

(1) that R.Ry. Lgt. Madappa Avargal remits the promised donation of Rs. 10,000 into the bank to the credit of Govt.;

(2) that the ward is constructed according to the design approved

by the District Medical Officer and the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore on the sites selected and approved by the Govt. and that on completion it is handed over to the Govt.

(3) That the acceptance of the offer places no obligation on the Govt. to maintain the ward; the ward will be maintained so long as the Govt's. financial position admits of such maintenance.

2. The Govt. is requested to ascertain and report whether M.R.Ry. Lt. M. Kadappa Asst. agrees to the above conditions. He is also requested to report.

(a) the cost of constructing the maternity ward and theatre referred to in his letter read above; and

(b) the ultimate recurring and non-recurring liabilities involved on Provincial funds under staff, maintenance etc. (Quarters for staff if necessary), on account of the proposed ward and theatre

It should be understood that until the complete proposals have been received and considered by the Govt., they cannot definitely commit themselves to the scheme. The donation amount will be refunded if the scheme is not sanctioned by the Govt.

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11.4.35.

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To

The Sec.
A.G. (thro' Fin.)
Fin. Deptt.

Secy
Dr
29/4/35.